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Press Release
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Incident Type: Building Fire

Address: 42 Pratt Court [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Dispatch: 1036

Under Control: 1055

Resources: E-8, E-10, E-3, E-7, T7, T1, R-1, DC-1, 01, Squad 1, ALS-2, K-2 , K-3

Description of Incident: At 10:36, companies were dispatched to 42 Pratt Court for a report of smoke coming from the rear of the building. Chief Andre Parent was first on the scene and confirmed a smoke condition and subsequent fire in the single family, ranch style home. The building was free of occupants prior to the arrival of fire personnel. Engine 8 was the first arriving fire company and deployed a single line through the front entrance in order to extinguish the blaze. The incident was brought under control at 10:55. The fire was classified as accidental and the cause was determined to be electrical in nature. No injuries to fire service personnel were reported. The home sustained heavy smoke and water damage which is currently estimated at \$50,000.

Civilian Injuries: N/A [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Special Circumstances: N/A

Fire Cause: Unintentional – Electrical

Estimated Dollar Loss: \$50,000

Incident Commander: Captain Kenneth Proulx